

REMARKS

The foregoing amendment seeks to add a cross-reference to related applications to the specification. Further, the original European-style claims have been canceled and new Claims 12-34 have been added. The claims have been rewritten to confirm to U.S. patent law and practice and are based on the original claims. No new matter has been added.

Entry of these amendments prior to examination of the accompanying 35 U.S.C. § 371 application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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